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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Atty. Docket: WALLACH=24

In re Application of:)	Art Unit: 1642
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David WALLACH)	Examiner: M. Davis
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Appln. No.: 09/445,223)	Washington, D.C.
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Filed: December 6, 1999)	May 29, 2001
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For: MODULATORS OF)	
INTRACELLULAR INFLAMMATION))	
CELL DEATH, AND ...)	

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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 28, 2001, petition for a one-month extension of time and payment thereof being attached hereto, please amend as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Delete claims 1-4, 9 and 10 and substitute therefor new claims 40-48 as follows:

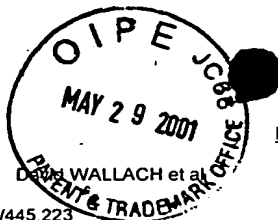
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~~40. A polypeptide which directly or indirectly potentiates cell death, said polypeptide consisting of:~~

~~(a) a sequence comprising SEQ ID NO:1;~~

~~(b) a sequence comprising an analog of (a) having no more than ten changes in the amino acid sequence of (a), each said change being a substitution, deletion or insertion of a single amino acid, which analog potentiates cell death;~~



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THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Amendment Response to Restriction Requirement
in the above-identified application.

- Small Entity Status: Applicant(s) claim small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.
- No additional fee is required.
- The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA EQUALS
TOTAL	* 34	MINUS ** 39	0
INDEP.	* 5	MINUS *** 5	0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			

SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 9	\$
x 40	\$
+ 135	\$
ADDITIONAL FEE TOTAL \$	

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 18	\$
x 80	\$
+ 270	\$
TOTAL \$	

- * If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
- ** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- *** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (total or independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment of the number of claims originally filed.

- Conditional Petition for Extension of Time
If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.
- It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below:

Small Entity	
Response Filed Within	
<input type="checkbox"/> First	- \$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Second	- \$ 195.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Third	- \$ 445.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Fourth	- \$ 695.00
Month After Time Period Set	

Other Than Small Entity	
Response Filed Within	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First	- \$ 110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Second	- \$ 390.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Third	- \$ 890.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Fourth	- \$ 1390.00
Month After Time Period Set	

Less fees (\$ _____) already paid for _____ month(s) extension of time on _____.

- Please charge my Deposit Account No. 02-4035 in the amount of \$ _____.
- Credit Card Payment Form, PTO-2038, is attached, authorizing payment in the amount of \$ 110.00.
- A check in the amount of \$ _____ is attached (check no.).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4035. This authorization and request is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, including any Extension of Time fee, not covered by check or specific authorization, but is also intended to include all fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR §1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR §1.18.

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